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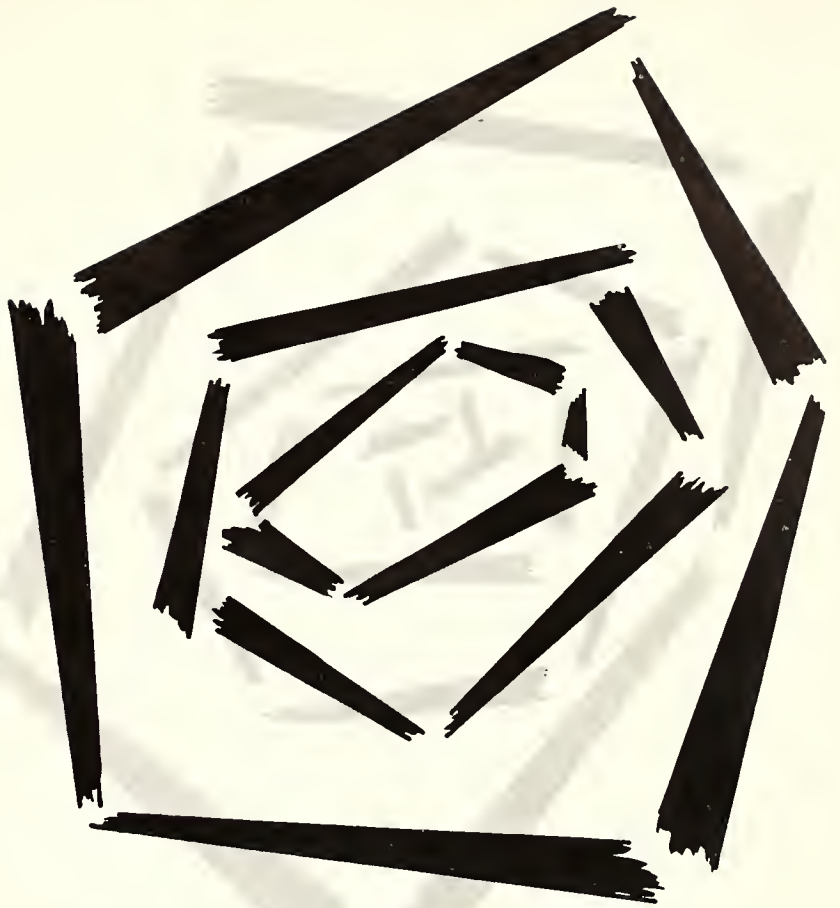
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**VALLEY PARK HIGH SCHOOL
VALLEY PARK, MO.**

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DEDICATION

In appreciation for your willingness to help us in any worthwhile thing we strive to do, we dedicate our 1962 yearbook to you, Mrs. Barbara Vires.

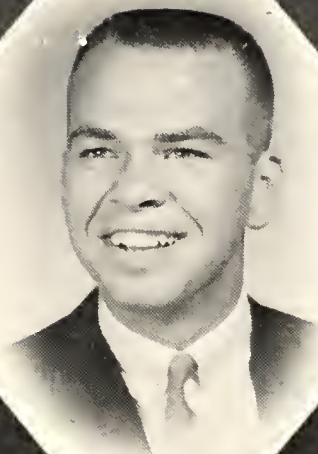
FOREWORD

The 1962 "VAL-E-VUES" is a collection of your school-year memories. As the years separate you from high school you will treasure this book more and more.

This annual strives to capture the character of Valley Park High School. We have tried to give you a better and a "different" yearbook this year. You are the final judge of how successful we have been. The format is different and, in our opinion, better than ever.

This year, for the first time, you will receive a "Summer Supplement"--a ten-page section featuring the Student Council Carnival, Prom, Graduation, Senior Trip and other events occurring after the major part of the book has been assembled and submitted for publication. The supplement can be glued in and made an integral part of this book. Your copy will be mailed to your home address sometime this summer.

--THE STAFF

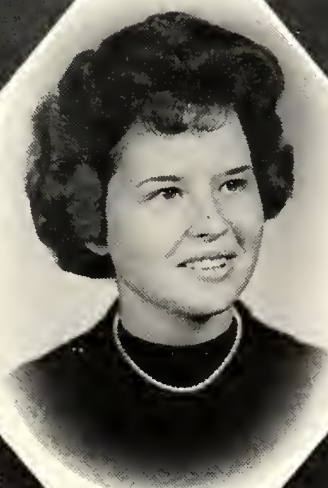


George Wrather
President

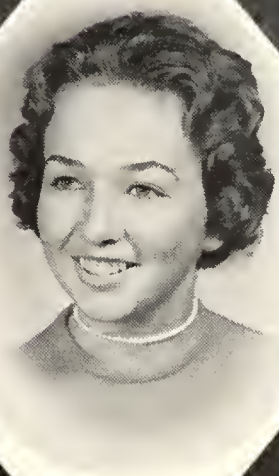


John Mueller
Vice-President

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Virginia Evers
Secretary



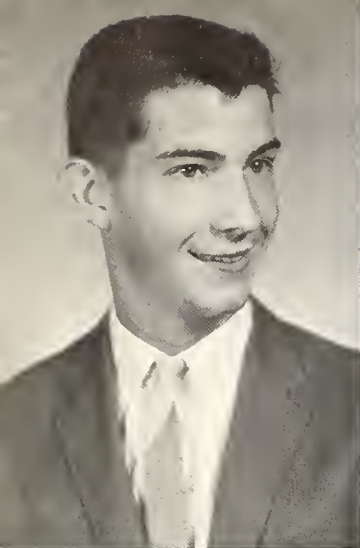
Pat Jackson
Treasurer

SENIORS

Colors: Red and White

Flower: White Gardenia

Motto: "When Duty whispers low, 'Thou must,'
The youth replies, 'I can.'"

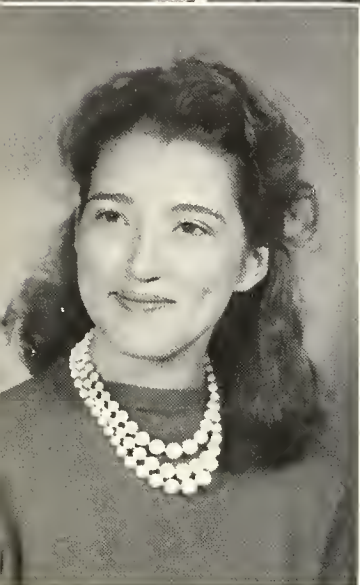


JAMES STEPHEN BEQUETTE "JIM"

If everyone were as loud as he,
A quiet place our school would be.

JOAN BRIGHT

Whatever you say, whatever you do,
She answers you back with a giggle or two.
Pep Club 1,2; F.H.A. 1,4; Fashion Show 1;
Cheerleader 3; Chorus 1,2.

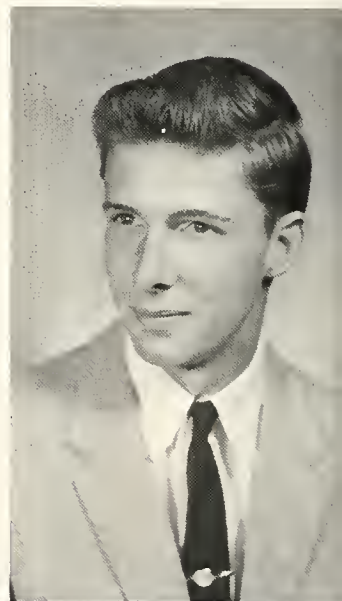


INEZ MAY CHAPMAN

Silence is precious.
Fashion Show 1,2; Chorus 1,2,4; Y.F.C. 2,3,4.

HAROLD DAVID ENGELKE "DAVE"

I never worry about my studies; they're in my books.
Class Play 3,4; Chorus 1,2; Intramural Football 3; Intramural Track 3; Elected "Most Talented" 3; Yearbook Staff 4; Press Club 4.



MICHAEL FREEMAN "MIKE"

I live my life the only way,
I sleep all night and half the day.
Basketball 1,2; Student Manager 4; Tumbling Team 3; Trampoline Team 3; Intramural basketball 1,2,3,4; Intramural Football 3; Intramural track 3; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2; Chorus 1; Pep Squad 3; Class Play 3; Ring Committee 3; Valley Breeze Staff 3; Class Secretary 1; National Honor Society 3,4; Prom Committee 3.

VIRGINIA EVERS "GINNY"

Measured in inches, she's not very tall,
But in good friendship she's up to them all.
Class Secretary 4; Elected "Most Dependable" 1; Elected "Most Popular" 2; Valley Breeze Staff 3; Pep Club 1; Fashion 1; Chorus 1,2; Intramural Volleyball 2; Ring Committee 3; Class Play 3,4; F.H.A. 1.



SHARON HILDERBRAND

Generally speaking, she's generally speaking. Pep Club 1,2; F.H.A. 2; Fashion Show 2; Volleyball team 3; Intramural volleyball 1,2,3; Class Play 3; Prom Committee 3; Chorus 1,2.

DANIEL GIVENS "DAN"

Let it rain, let it shine,
I'll drive that car of mine!
Basketball 1,2; Intramural track 3; Lettermen's Club 4.



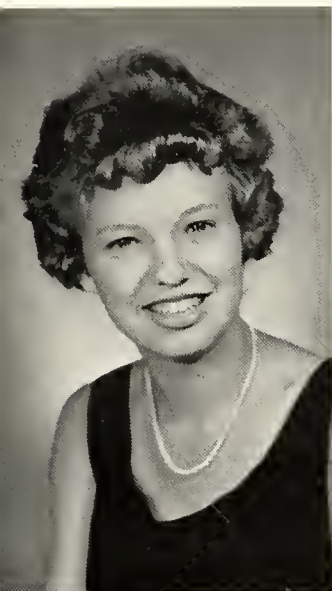
SUE HUTCHISON

Better to be late than not to come at all. Class Officer 3; Student Council 1,2,3, Treasurer 1, Vice-President 3; National Honor Society 3,4; F.H.A. 1,4; Pep Club 1,2; Cheerleader 3,4, Captain 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Fashion Show 1; Elected "Most Dependable" 3.



DOLORES IMMER "DORIE"

Never do today what you can do tomorrow. Chorus 1,2; Pep Squad 1,2,3; Intramural Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Varsity Volleyball 3; Class Play 3,4; Fashion Show 1; Girls' Drill Team 3; F.H.A. 1; Valley Breeze 2,3,4, Distribution Manager 4; Honor Roll 1,2,4.

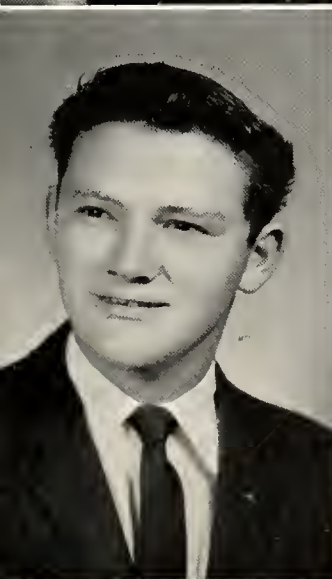


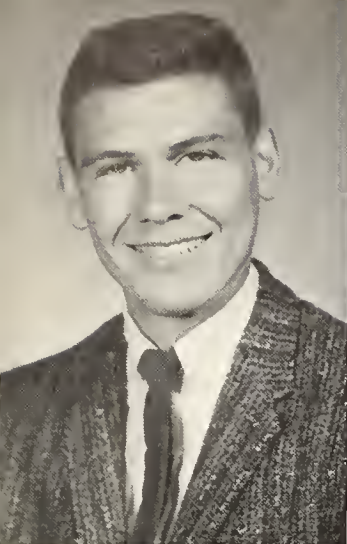
DAVID PAUL GOLDEN "DAVE"

I still haven't thought how to think!

PATRICIA JACKSON "PAT"

I don't blush--that's my natural color! Class Officer 2,3,4, President 2,3, Treasurer 4; Student Council President 4; National Honor Society 3,4, President 4; Valley Breeze 2,3, Editor 3; F.H.A. 1,4, Vice-President 4; Year-book Staff 3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4, Vice-President 3, President 4; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Carnival Queen 3; Press Club 4; Class Play 3,4; Fashion Show 1; Elected "Most Likely to Succeed" 1,4; Elected "Most Dependable" 2.





JOE GRAVES

I do the hardest work of my whole day before school - - - getting up!
Class Play 3; Basketball 1; Class Treasurer 1; Chorus 1,2; Intramural Basketball 1; Intramural Football 3.



BETTY KAY LOHMAN "KAY"

Put me down as one who loves his fellow MAN!
Chorus 1,2; Fashion Show 1; Drill Squad 3; National Honor Society 3,4; Student Council 3; Valley Breeze 3; Val-E-Vues 3,4; Class Play 3,4; F.H.A. 1,4, President 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Press Club 4; Intramural Volleyball 1,2,3; Honor Roll 2,3,4; Prom Committee 3; Ring Committee 3.

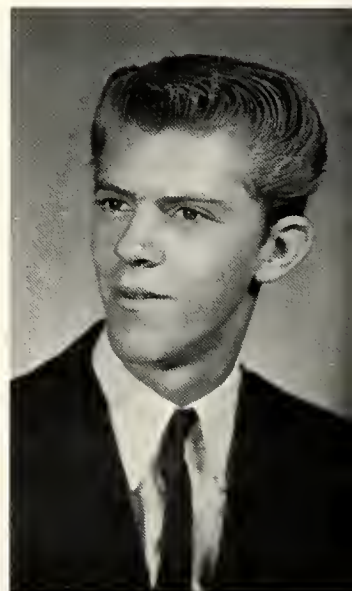


LINDA SUE MEDLOCK

We would call her a quiet girl but we know her too well.
Chorus 1; Pep Club 2,3; Varsity Volleyball 3; F.H.A. 2,3; F.H.A. Vice-President 2; Volleyball Intramurals 1,2,3,4; Fashion Show 1,2; Y.F.C. 2,3,4, Secretary 2,3; National Honor Society 3,4.

JAMES HANNICK "JIM"

To take a great weight off my mind, I discard my halo.
Intramural track 2,3; Intramural softball 2; Intramural football 3; Chorus 1,2; Intramural basketball 2.

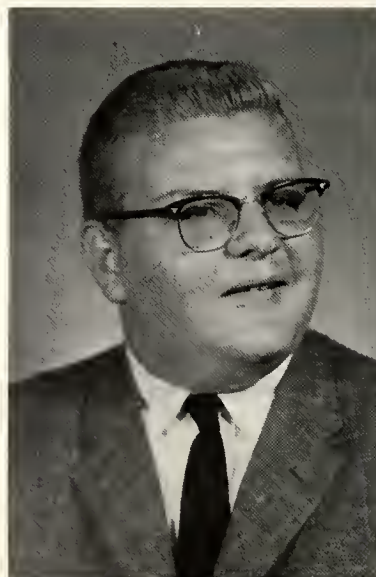


ROBERT LEO HENRICKS "BOB"

I never let my lessons interfere with my education!

DOROTHY DIANTHA MERRELL "DIANE"

A smile is a whisper of a laugh.
Chorus 1,2; F.H.A. 2; Valley Breeze 4; Press Club 4; Pep Club 4; Fashion Show 2.



CLARA LOUISE NORTHCUTT

Life is too short to spend studying.
Chorus 1,2; Pep Squad 2,3; F.H.A. 2; Volley-
ball Intramurals 1,2; Y.F.C. 1,2,3,4; Fashion
Show 1,2.

CLIFFORD G. JACOBS "CLIFF"

Sometimes he sits and thinks, but mostly he
just sits.
Chorus 1,2; Intramural Football 3; Intramural
Track 3; Junior Play; Class Sergeant-at-Arms
4; Senior Play.



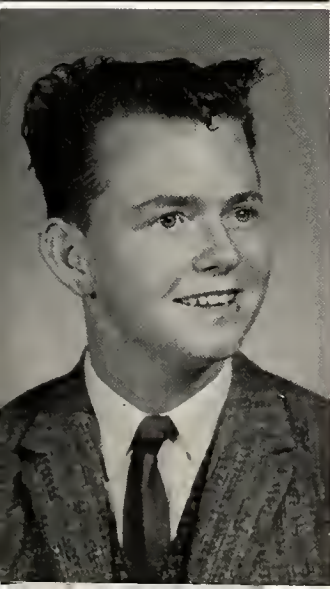
JUDY PRICE

Beware! I may do something sensational!
Cheerleader 3,4; Chorus 1,2; Fashion Show 1,2;
F.H.A. 2; Prom Committee 3; Intramural Vol-
leyball 1,2; Pep Club 1,2,3,4.



JUDY CAROL PRIDDY

Is she talking again or still?
Chorus 1; Pep Squad 2,3; Varsity Volleyball 3;
F.H.A. 2,3, Treasurer 2; Intramural Volley-
ball 1,2,3,4; Fashion Show 1,2; Y.F.C. 2,3,4,
President 2,4, Songleader 3.

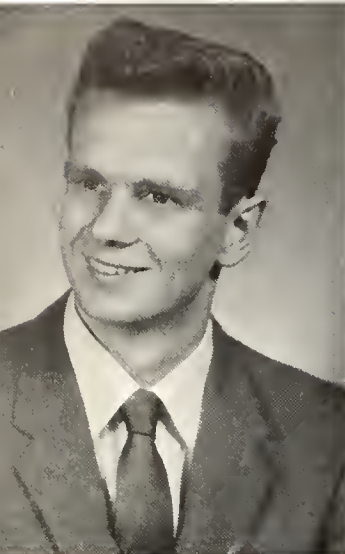


LOONIS EDWARD MARTIN, JR. "L.E."

To study or not to study? There is no question!
Baseball 3; Trampoline Team 3.

KATHY MARLENE REIFF

Beneath her quietness lies true sincerity.
Fashion Show 1; Y.F.C. 2; Valley Breeze 3,4;
Press Club 4; Globe-Democrat Student Re-
porter 4; Pep Club 4.



TERRY MOORE

The girls all love to hear him sing; He's almost as good as Bing! Class President 1; President of Lettermen's Club 3,4; Class Sergeant-at-Arms 2; Elected "Most Popular" 1,3; Elected "Most Dependable" 2; Class Play 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Intramural Basketball 1,2,3,4; Intramural Football 3.



JANET RIORDAN

To giggle is to be happy. Pep Squad 2,4; F.H.A. 2,4; Fashion Show 1; Chorus 1,2.



DIAN SCHMIEDEKE "SMITTY"

Don't look intelligent, you might be called on. F.H.A. 1; Chorus 1; Fashion Show 1; Pep Squad 2; Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Treasurer 3; Secretary 4; Valley Breeze 2,3; Val-E-Vues 3,4; Editor 4; Student Council 4; Prom Committee 3; Class Play 3,4; Student Director 4; Press Club 4; Secretary 4; Intramurals 1,2,3.

JOHN MUELLER "BUTCH"

He has a smile that constantly endangers his ears! Basketball 2,3; Chorus 1; Class Secretary 3; Class Vice-President 4; Student Council 2,4; Corridor Patrol 1; Intramural Basketball 2,3; Class Play 3,4; Intramural Football 3; Student Lounge Committee 4.

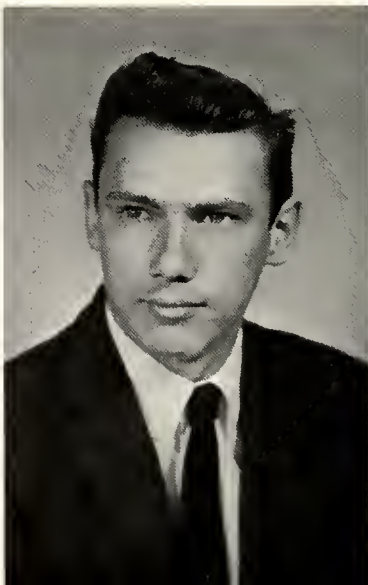


WERNER P. POPPE

Don't rush me, girls. The line forms at the left. Basketball 1,4; Baseball 3,4; Intramural Track 3; Intramural Football 3; Intramural basketball 2,3,4; Chorus 1; Band 2; Class Play 3,4; Yearbook Staff 4; Press Club 4; Track 4.

BARBARA SCHULTE "BARB"

I love work; I can look at it for hours. Freshman Carnival Queen 1; Pep Club President 1; Pep Club 2; Class Secretary-Treasurer 2; Elected "Most Popular" 1; Elected "Most Talented" 3; Ring Committee 3; Cheerleader 3; Student Council Secretary 4; Class Play 3,4; F.H.A. Secretary 2; Intramurals 1,2,3.



JIM RITZERT

I might be better if I would,
But it's awfully lonely being good.
Intramural Football 3,4; Intramural Basketball
3,4; Intramural Track 3,4; Baseball 3,4;
Tumbling Team 3; Class Play 4; Letterman's
Club 4.

MYRTLE MARIE SPEAKES "MERT"

She always does her best, and her best is al-
ways good.
Y.F.C. 1,2,3,4, Treasurer 3, President 4,
Acting Vice-President 4; Elected "Most Likely
to Succeed" 3; National Honor Society 3,4;
Honor Roll 1,2,3,4; Student Council Secretary 3;
Valley Breeze Reporter and Typist 3,4; Press
Club 4; Chorus 1; Fashion Show 1.

BOBBY WALKER "SAND"

Dynamite comes in small packages.
Press Club Vice-President 4; Basketball 1,2,3;
Intramural Basketball 1,2,3; Intramural track
3; Intramural football 3; Escort for Carnival
Queen 3; Elected "Most Talented" 2; Elected
"Most Dependable" 1; Art Director for Valley
Breeze 4; Chorus 1,2; Baseball 1; Secretary of
Lettermen's Club 3,4.

CHERYL WALKER

Don't study your lessons; lessen your studies!
Class President 2; Valley Breeze 2,4, co-
editor 4; Honor Roll 1,2,4; National Honor
Society 4, Vice-President 4; Class Play 4;
Elected "Most Popular" 1,2; F.T.A. 2,4; Pep
Squad 1,2,4.

GEORGE LEONARD WRATHER

Just ask me; I know everything!
Student Council 1; Vice-President of Class 2,3;
Class President 4; Class Play 3,4; Chorus 2;
Pep Squad President 3; Vice-President of Let-
termen's Club 3,4; Elected "Most Likely to
Succeed" 1; Elected "Most Popular" 2; Elected
"Most Dependable" 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Base-
ball 1,3,4; Intramural basketball 1,2,3,4; Intra-
mural football 3; Intramural Track 3.

VIRGINIA WARD "GINNY"

Study will weary one, so I don't do it.
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Intramural Volleyball 1,2,3,4;
Varsity Volleyball 3; Pep Squad 1,2,3,4; Cho-
rus 1,2; Class Play 1,3; Girls' Drill Team 3;
Band 1; Softball 1,2, Captain 1; Fashion Show
1,2,4.

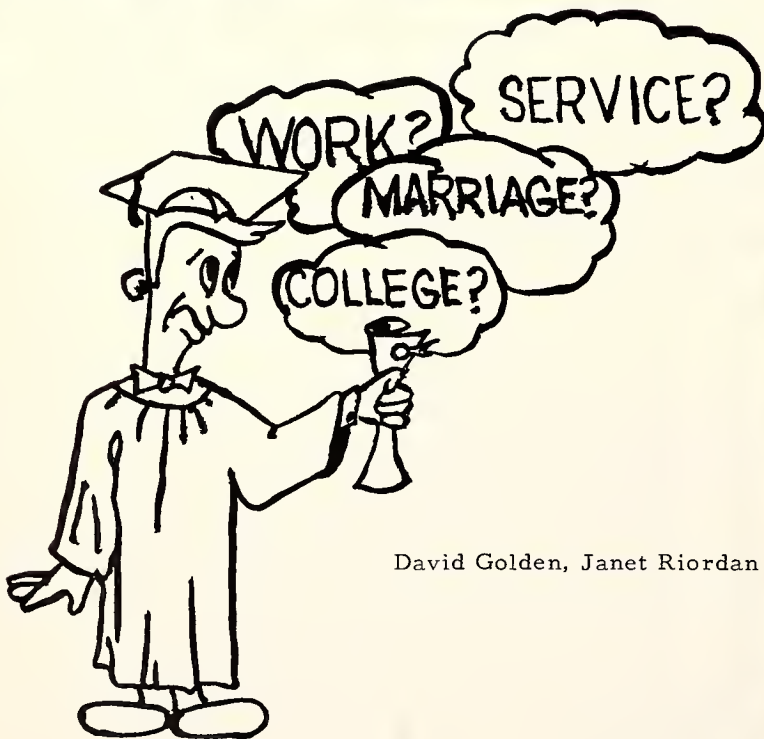
NOT PICTURED:

DONNIE WEBB
"DON"

He seems shy, UNTIL you know him.
Chorus 1,2; Intramural Basketball 3.



Left to right: The Senior Class officers,
John Mueller, George Wrather, Pat
Jackson, Virginia Evers.



David Golden, Janet Riordan



SENIOR CLASS RINGS



Pride of the Seniors--the wearing of their class ring. These rings will be cherished by their owners and admired by others for years to come.

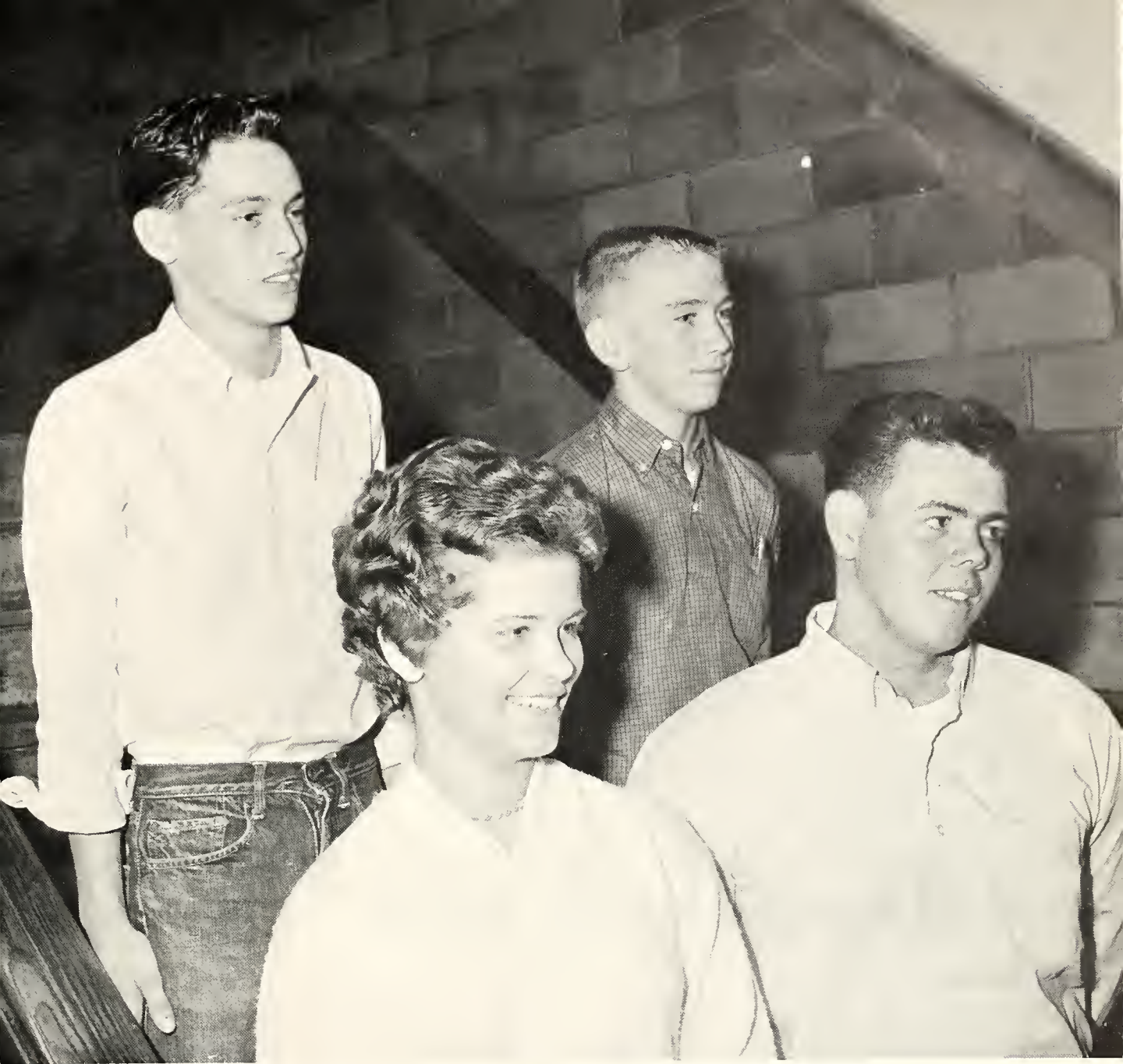
What is a class ring? It is a symbol of education, a symbol of the pride which a person has in his alma mater. For the Seniors, the class ring is a symbol of maturity. The day they slip their class ring on their finger they feel that they have "come of age."

A highlight in the lives of all students is the day on which they finally receive their class rings. September 19 was the "big day" for this year's Seniors, who were immediately surrounded by a group of eager underclassmen admiring the newly acquired jewel.

The ring consists of a blue Starfire stone set in gold. Mounted on the stone is a gold hawk, especially designed for Valley Park High School. The words "Valley Park High School" appear on a bar under the Hawk's claws, and the student's initials and class numerals appear on either side of the Starfire stone. It is an exquisitely designed and truly beautiful ring!



THE CLASS OF 1962

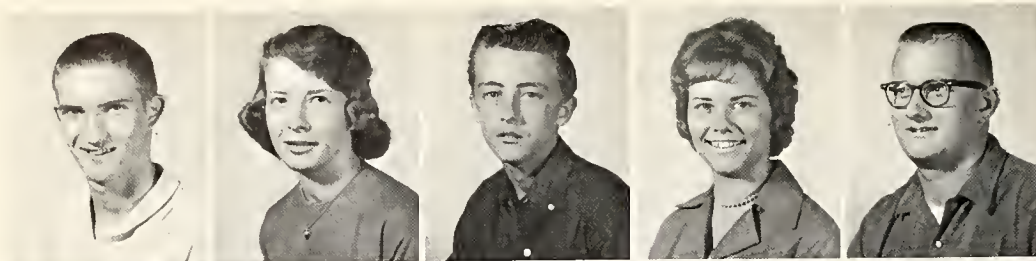


BACK ROW, l. to r.: Jerry Yost, Larry Hedrick. FRONT ROW: Diana Brockmann, Gene Moore.

JUNIORS

President Jerry Yost
 Vice-President Larry Hedrick
 Secretary Diana Brockmann
 Treasurer Gene Moore

Colors Blue and White
 Flower White Carnation
 Motto "We build the
 ladder by which we rise."



Tom Birdnow
Debbie
Bortscheller
Fred Bright
Diana Brockmann
Dana Burmeister



Emily Bushey
Earl Cary
Sharon Cook
Verna Daniels
Jerry Duff



Francis Dunsford
Wilma Feeler
Jim Fortune
Pat Freeman
Donna Fults



Darryl Gibbs
Westa Given
Linda Hedden

JUNIORS

Larry Hedrick
Dick James
Bob Lindsey
Gene Moore
Maureen Riordan



Terry Ritzert
Janet Rowden
JoAnn Rowden
Barbara Rue
Jack Schneedle



Mary Schultz
Mary Alice
Thiemann
Sharon Williams
Richard Wirfs
Jerry Yost





L. to R.: Kathy Dietz, Virginia Hannick, Nancy Branson, Bob Hildebrandt.

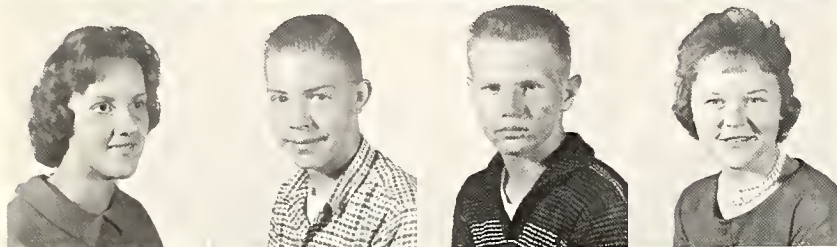
SOPHOMORES

President Virginia Hannick
 Vice-President Nancy Branson
 Secretary-Treasurer . . Kathy Dietz
 Sergeant-at-Arms Bob Hildebrandt

Colors Lavender and White
 Flower Orchid
 Motto "Forward ever;
 backward never!"



Billy Adams
Susan Anderson
Deanna Bantel
Joe Barnett
Glenwood Bequette



Nancy Branson
David Brown
Steve Bryant
Alice Burns



Bobbie Button
Nona Carter
Ronnie Craft

CLASS OF



Edwin Crites
Kathy Dietz

Gail Dunsford



David Dixon

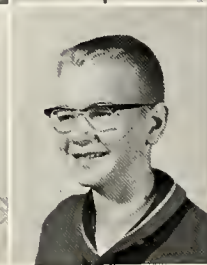
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Brenda Gross



Roger Gross
Shirley Hand
Virginia Hannick



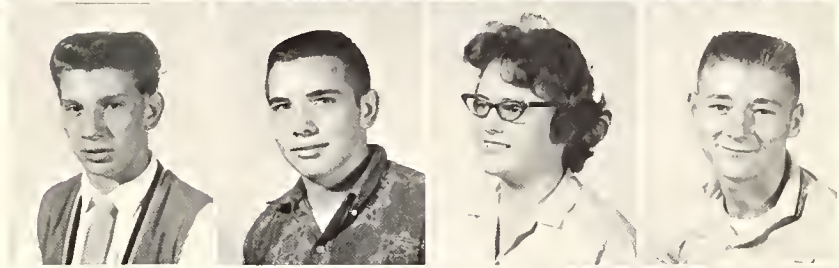
Bob Hildebrandt
Elaine Hoisington
Celeste Immer
Mike Jackson



Ron Jackson
 Vicki Jarrett
 Janis Jaskowiak
 David Jewell
 Charles Landry



Jerry Ledoux
 Tom Luck
 Martha Main
 Warren McGraw



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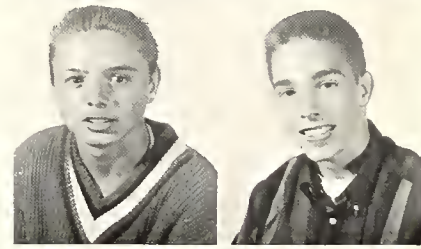
Robert Moffatt
 Theron Moore
 Carol Northcutt



Clara Rikard



David Northcutt
 Brian Page



Brenda Rowden
 Charlotte Sanford



Linda Pitmon



Alice Sansocie
 Janet Spielhagen
 Sharron Sprock



Gary Taylor
 Mary Thompson
 Penny Weisenburg
 Lewis Woodruff





Left to right: Charlotte Pfister, Donald Niere, Lora Hedden.

FRESHMEN

President Charlotte Pfister
 Vice-President Donald Niere
 Secretary-Treasurer . . . Lora Hedden

Colors Red and White
 Flower White Rose
 Motto "Wisdom is knowing
 what to do;
 Skill is knowing how
 to do it;
 Virtue is in doing it."

Gary Adams
Constance Allen
Clara Altis
Peggy Benson
Bob Bradshaw



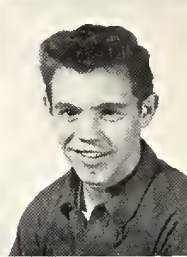
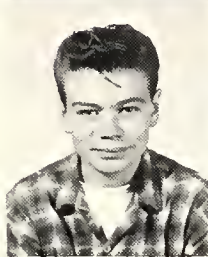
Nancy Brown
Ernestine Burns
Imogene Burns
Linda Dillman



CLASS OF 1965

JoAnn Garrison

Dennis Dunn
Susan Eddy
Greg Filley



Janet Hannick
Susan Harper

Everett Ford
Mike Ford



Lora Hedden
Jim Henricks
Virgil Hertel

Briggs Fryer



Dale Hicks
Larry Hiscox
Nancy Holden
Lorraine Holiday



Martha Hurt
Don Hutchison
Jerry Johnson
Noemie Knapheide
Jon Lochmann





Ed Mahen
James McBride
Virginia Miller
Linda Moore
Donald Niere



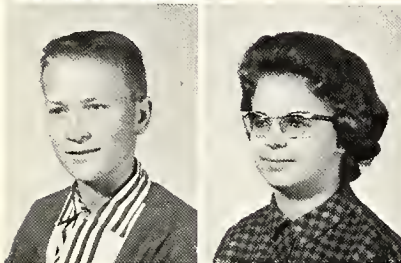
John Nolan
Brenda Northcutt
Paul Northcutt
Frances Patterson

CLASS OF 1965



Charlotte Pfister
Susan Price
Nellie Quick

Linda Robyn



Bill Reynolds
Brenda Richardson

Emmett Rodgers
Ronnie Rowden

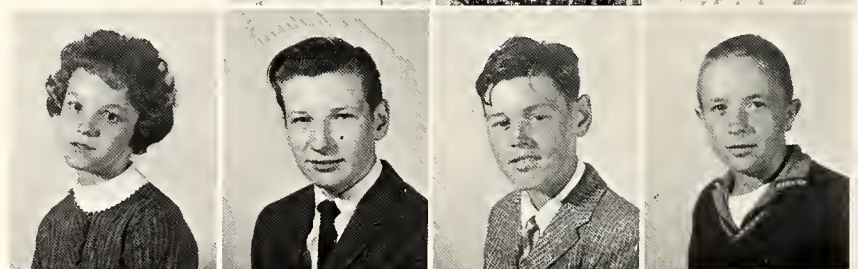


Jim Richardson

Ken Schmiedeke
Winford Sellers
Ken Steele



Glenna Stough
Donald Strozewski
Dale Thomas
Steve Ward



Danny Webb
Fern White
Frank White
Harold White
Roy White

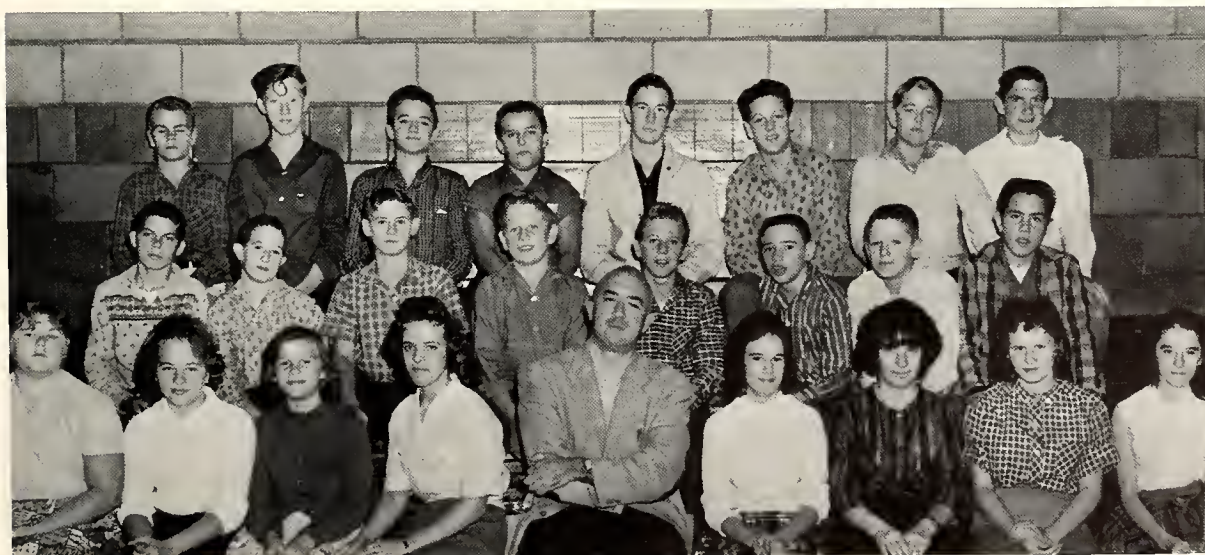




FRONT ROW, left to right: Mr. Cullinane, Vallare Grellner, Sandra Parker, Shirley Holden, Susan Belt, Vicky Heinemann, Connie Shepherd, Ruthie Lohman, Donna Ingram, Sharon Eddy. 2nd ROW: John Chipman, Bruce Thomas, Paul Neal, Brenda Matchell, Linda Waldon, Donna Rowden, Susan Bowen, Danny Rowden, Royal Hildebrandt, George Quick. 3rd ROW: Rita Pendergrass, Kenny Rowden, Wilbur Hofstetter, Larry Fredricks, James Catron, George Gross, James Northcutt, Larry Birdnow, Barry Henlon, Ruby Sanford.

JUNIOR HIGH

FRONT ROW, left to right: Marilyn Mason, Rosemary Fowler, Betty Fredricks, Barbara Allen, Mr. Lane, Iris Leutahuser, Donna Phillips, Carolyn Hicks, Elsie Croney. 2nd ROW: Bobby Taylor, Dickie Walker, Ray Barnett, Tom Fults, Booth Scates, Lonnie Northcutt, Kenneth Adams, George Summers. 3rd ROW: Bill Mercer, John Barnett, Timothy Coates, Phillip Adams, Dewayne Sellars, Gary Sansocie, Ronnie Pfister, Oneal Evans.





FRONT ROW, left to right: Mr. Wylie, Sharon Main, Magdalena Stoecker, Pamela Knapp, Patty Dunsford, Rita VonRohr, Dannice Gray. 2nd ROW: Earlene Curtner, Linda Adams, Rebecca Hicks, Phyllis Sanford, Susan Dunn, Roberta Allen, Cornelia Bonvillion. 3rd ROW: Sandy Jarrett, Richard Bushey, Allen McBride, Gary Brockmann, James Redman, Mike Wideman, Charles Hilderbrand, Jan Hicks.

JUNIOR HIGH

FRONT ROW, left to right: Cindy Byrd, Linda Earley, Linda Hoffstetter, Mr. Harris, Brenda Mercer, Brenda Evans, Jeanne Allen. 2nd ROW: Brenda Moore, Ronda Culley, Vernon Miller, Gerald Knight, Billy Chadd, Paul Chipman, Karen Hand, Linda Hartman. 3rd ROW: Faye Fox, Danny Catron, James Eddy, Kenneth Niere, Noel Tillison, Ronald Barnett, Gary Burke, Nyla Stough.





FRONT ROW, left to right: Crystal Grosse, Dixie Ennis, Glenda Taylor, Martha Walker, Cecelia Hollingsworth, Pat Herbert, Donna Adams, Mrs. Schulz. 2nd ROW: Benny Maxwell, Roger Moore, Joe Rowden, Billy Smith, David Bright, Danny Strawn, Joe Lindsey. 3rd ROW: Jane Gross, Donna Reid, Delpha Hurt, Linda Schneedle, Donna Chadd, Peggy Northcutt, Nancy Patterson.

JUNIOR HIGH

FRONT ROW, left to right: Rayford Johnson, Bobby Jones, Leonard Gaither, Mrs. Wylie, Stephen Hicks, Joseph McKinnon, Jack McCabe. 2nd ROW: Duane Mason, Sue Wilson, Pamela Girten, Michelle Martin, Sharon Davis, Joyce Odom, Tommy Gibbs. 3rd ROW: Michael Illig, Edward Gilmore, Randy Grisham, Samuel Williams, Everett Northcutt, Ronnie Statler, Floyd Varvel.





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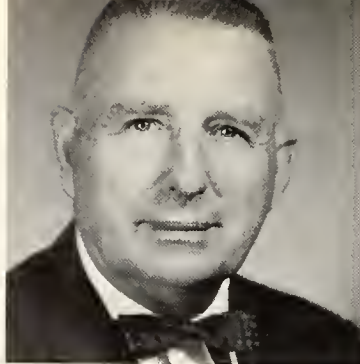


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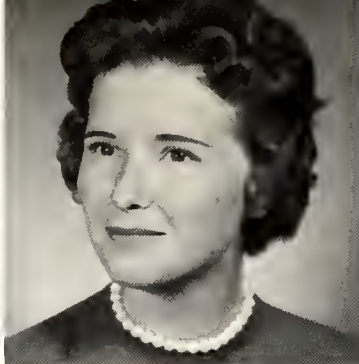


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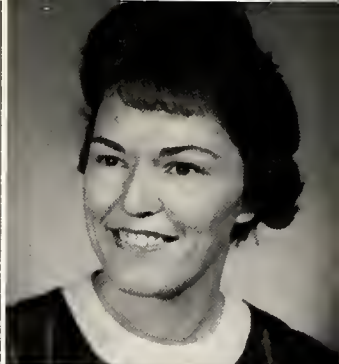




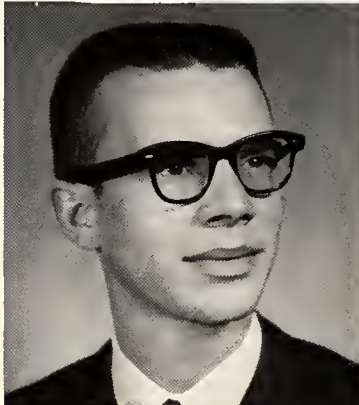
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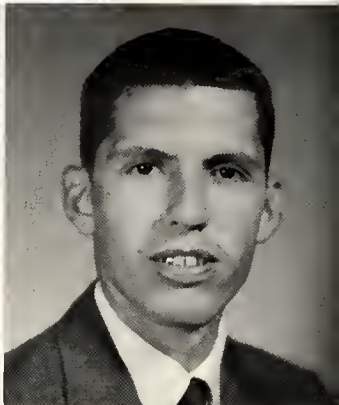
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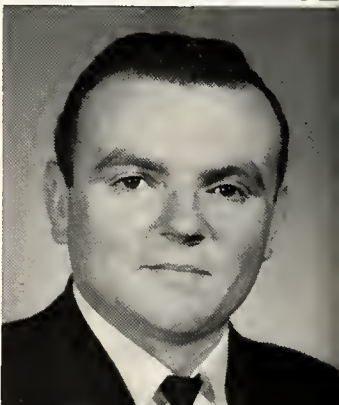
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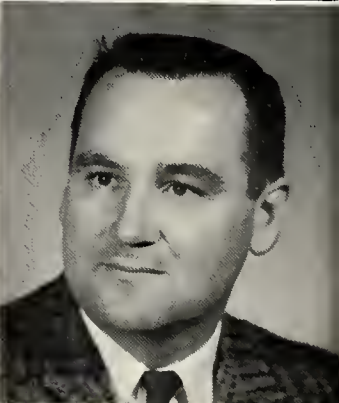
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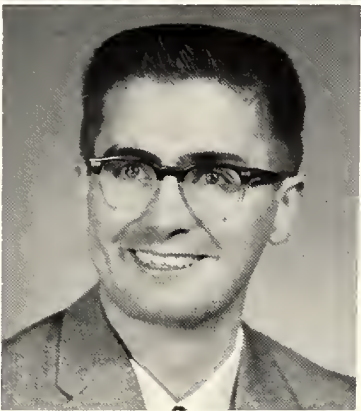
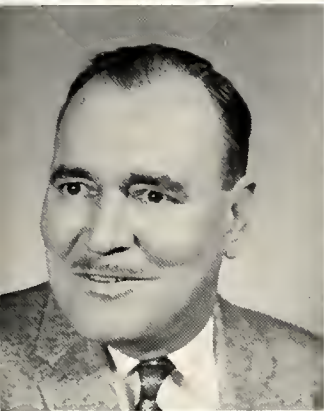


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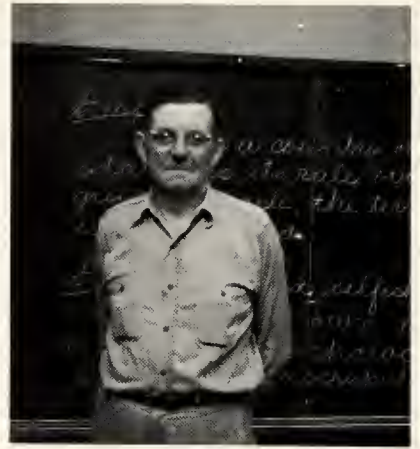
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CAFETERIA AND MAINTENANCE

Although they operate more or less behind the scenes, the personnel who staff the cafeteria and provide janitorial services make an important contribution to the efficient functioning of our school.

Mrs. Ida Jergens, Mrs. Helen Keller, Mrs. Virginia Whitaker, and Mrs. Minnie Hildebrandt comprise the cafeteria staff.

Bud Young provides janitorial service for the high school, and Bob Whitaker assumes these duties in the Multi-Purpose building.



ACTIVITIES



*The Junior Class of
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of you and your guest at the
Senior Service Banquet Dinner
on Saturday April twenty seven
seventeen hundred forty one
at eight o'clock in the evening*

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STUDENT LOUNGE



THE STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council has rendered another year of outstanding service for the students and faculty of Valley Park High.

Traditionally, the Council supervises many activities for the enjoyment of students, alumni, and patrons of the school. The Carnival with its varied booths, queen contest, and dance is probably the most outstanding of these events.

Other projects which deserve special mention include the traditional snake dance and bonfire before the first basketball game and the dance that followed, the much-improved student lounge facilities, the Christmas decorating competition, and the Roaring 20's Homecoming dance (co-sponsored by the Hawkettes).

In addition, the Student Council undertook a few new activities this year, including the underwriting of the yearbook, the purchase of pins for members of the National Honor Society, and the adoption of a sports-manship pledge.

SEATED, left to right: Mr. Thomas (Sponsor), Barbara Schulte (Secretary), Diana Brockmann (Vice-President), Pat Jackson (President), John Mueller (Treasurer), Mr. Newton (Sponsor). 2nd ROW: Peggy Benson, Penny Weisenburg, Tom Luck, Larry Hedrick, Ken Steele, Dian Schmiedeke, Nancy Branson, Barbara Rue.



"JUST DUCKY"

THE CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mr. Maxwell Butch Mueller
 Mrs. Maxwell Cheryl Walker
 Betty Lou Ginny Evers
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 Hercules Terry Moore
 Connie Kay Lohman
 Craig Moore George Wrather
 Mr. Moore Cliff Jacobs
 Del Marshall Jim Ritzert
 Aunt Mary Dolores Immer
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Dave Engelke, Terry Moore

Butch Mueller, Cheryl Walker



A really grand and able cast, under the able direction of Miss Brimager and her student assistant, Dian Schmiedeke, made "Just Ducky" a great success.

The story centers around two teen-age girls--Betty Lou (Virginia Evers) and Bernadine (Pat Jackson) who fabricate a letter filled with pathos and deep heart throbs, then send it to the editor of a lovelorn column in the local newspaper. From then on its a complete free-for-all, with all the trimmings, which adds up to an enjoyable evening for the audience.

BEHIND THE SCENES

For every successful play there are people working behind the scenes who help to make it all possible. In this case they were Miss Brimager, Senior Class Sponsor and play director, Dian Schmiedeke, student director, Werner Poppe, stage manager, and Judy Price and Virginia Ward, prompters.



L. to r., Werner Poppe, Virginia Ward, Judy Price, Dian Schmiedeke.

THE SENIOR CLASS PLAY

"Just Ducky," a three-act farce, was presented by the Seniors on Friday evening, November 17, in the high school gymnasium. Judging from their laughter, the capacity crowd was delightfully entertained by the many comic situations. One of the play's many highlights was the scene in which Mr. Maxwell (Butch Mueller) mistakes the editor of a love-lorn column, (Barbara Schulte), for his son's boyfriend, (Terry Moore). Sound confusing? It was! But if you were one of the lucky ones who saw the play, you know how it all came about.

L. to r., Jim Ritzert, Dolores Immer, Barbara Schulte, Cliff Jacobs, Pat Jackson, Virginia Evers, Kay Lohman, George Wrather.



VALLEY BREEZE

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NEW BOARD MEMBER APPOINTED

Jack H. Vandover took the oath of office of the Valley Park school board on Sunday, September 24, 1961 at a special meeting. He was appointed to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mr. Ward Seaman.

DR. NOTHDURFT BECOMES A PROFESSOR

Dr. Nothdurft, last year's high school principal, was offered a position as assistant at Kirkville State College, Missouri. He will be in charge of all Graduate Instruction.

As we all know, this is a fine position for many ways wanted to even before he Degree.

We were very with us this him the new position

WELCOME BACK TO -

On September fifth we saw school with an assembly. The Superintendent, Mr. Gruetzmacher, welcomed everyone back to a new school year in Junior and Senior High School. He introduced



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The Student lounge for im only member help

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The Student Council has been given the authority to expel any offenders to the above policy from frequenting the lounge.

UNIVERSITY DAY

Columbia, Mo., September 29: The program for the fourth annual University Day Oct. 14 at the University of Missouri has been printed and is now being sent to school officials and the press throughout Missouri. The program lists in detail the numerous activities arranged for the more than 9,000 guests of the University who are expected to attend University Day.

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FRONT ROW, left to right: Larry Hedrick, Penny Weisenburg, Vicki Jarrett, Kathy Dietz, Diana Brockmann (Co-Editor), Linda Pitmon, Susan Anderson, Gail Dunsford, Eddie Mahen, Mr. Dalrymple (Sponsor); 2nd ROW: Virginia Ward, Wilma Feeler, Frances Patterson, Steve Bryant, Cheryl Walker (Co-Editor), Pat Freeman, Westa Given, Donna Fults, JoAnn Rowden; 3rd ROW: Bobby Walker, Celeste Immer, Alice Burns, Dolores Immer, Myrtle Speakes, Diane Merrell, Kathy Reiff, Brian Page.

VALLEY BREEZE STAFF

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The Valley Breeze contains no advertising, but is filled to the brim with news of clubs and sports, editor editorials, interviews, and jokes.

Diana Brockmann served as editor during the first semester and was replaced by Cheryl Walker during the second semester.





FRONT ROW,
top to bottom:
Emily Bushey, Jo
Ann Rowden, Judy
Priddy (Vice-Presi-
dent), Donna Fults,
Sandy Parker, Rosemary
Fowler; 2nd ROW: Clara
Northcutt, Linda Medlock,
Janet Rowden, Verna Daniels
(Secretary-Treasurer), Inez
Chapman; 3rd ROW: Myrtle Speakes
(President), Mrs. Cooper (Sponsor),
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St. Matthew 22:37
King James Version

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

FRONT ROW, top to bottom: Dian Schmiedeke, Betty Lohman, Emily Bushey, Diana Brockma, Pat Jackson (President), Donna Fults; BACK ROW: Mrs. Vires (sponsor), Sue Hutchison, Myrtle Speakes, Linda Medlock, Linda Hedden, Cheryl Walker, JoAnn Rowden.



Election to membership in the Valley Park Chapter of the National Honor Society is the highest honor that a student can receive. It designates outstanding achievements in the two areas for which our school was founded--scholarship and citizenship.

This is the second year that the Valley Park Chapter has been in existence. Only Juniors and Seniors are eligible for membership. Among the qualifications required for election to the Society are scholarship (rank in the upper one-fourth of the class), character, leadership, and service.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

SEATED, left to right: Mrs. Cooper (sponsor), Gail Dunsford, Susan Anderson (Treasurer), Pat Jackson (Vice-President), Betty Lohman (President), Virginia Hannick (Secretary), Sharron Sprock (Historian); STANDING: Janet Riordan, Virginia Ward, Shirley Hand, Joan Bright, Bobbie Button, Nancy Branson, Elaine Hoisington, Alice Burns, Barbara Rue, Celeste Immer, Sharon Williams, Martha Main, Linda Pitmon, Kathy Dietz, Mary Alice Thiemann, Westa Given, Penny Weisenburg, Nora Carter, Vicki Jarrett.



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

SEATED, left to right: Gail Dunsford, Mr. Gouty (Sponsor), Cheryl Walker (President), Donna Fults (Vice-President), Diana Brockmann (Secretary-Treasurer), Gene Moore; STANDING: Larry Hedrick, Charlotte Sanford, Pat Freeman, Penny Weisenburg, Celeste Immer, Alice Burns, Martha Main, Elaine Hoisington, Frances Patterson, Verna Daniels, Connie Allen.

CARNIVAL QUEEN

PAT
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Dian Schmiedeke, Editor

VAL-E-VUES STAFF

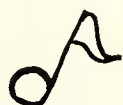
Here they are--the brainiest, gabbiest, cleverest, and best darned staff that ever whipped up a yearbook. If you think it "ain't" so, you'll change your mind by the time you've finished reading this volume. May you have as much fun reading and autographing this book as the staff had in creating it!

Werner Poppe, Dave Engelke, Business Managers.





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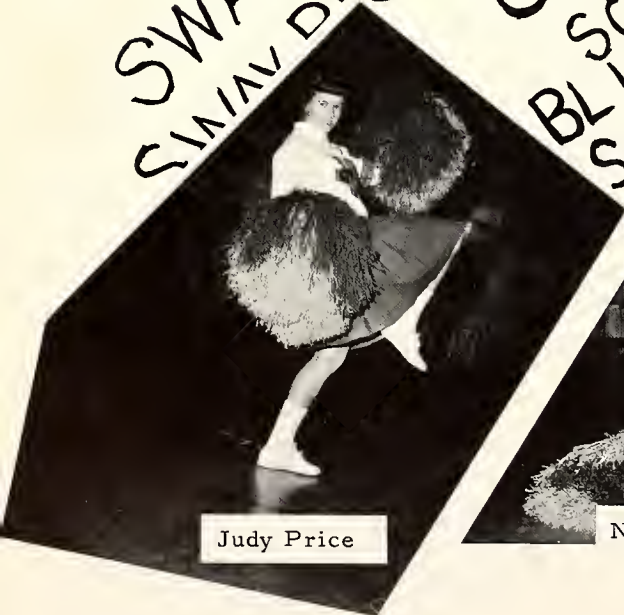


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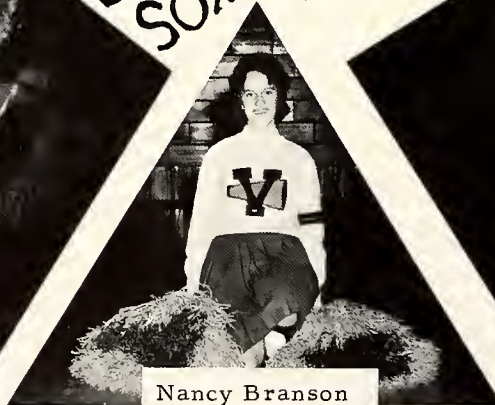
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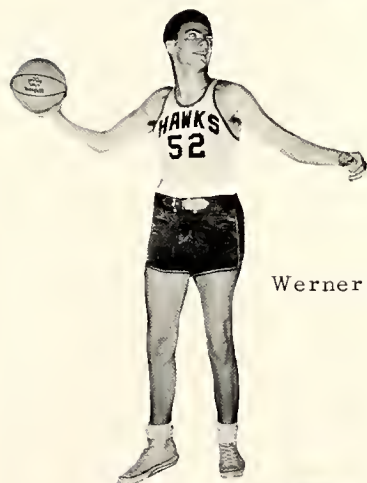
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"A" TEAM

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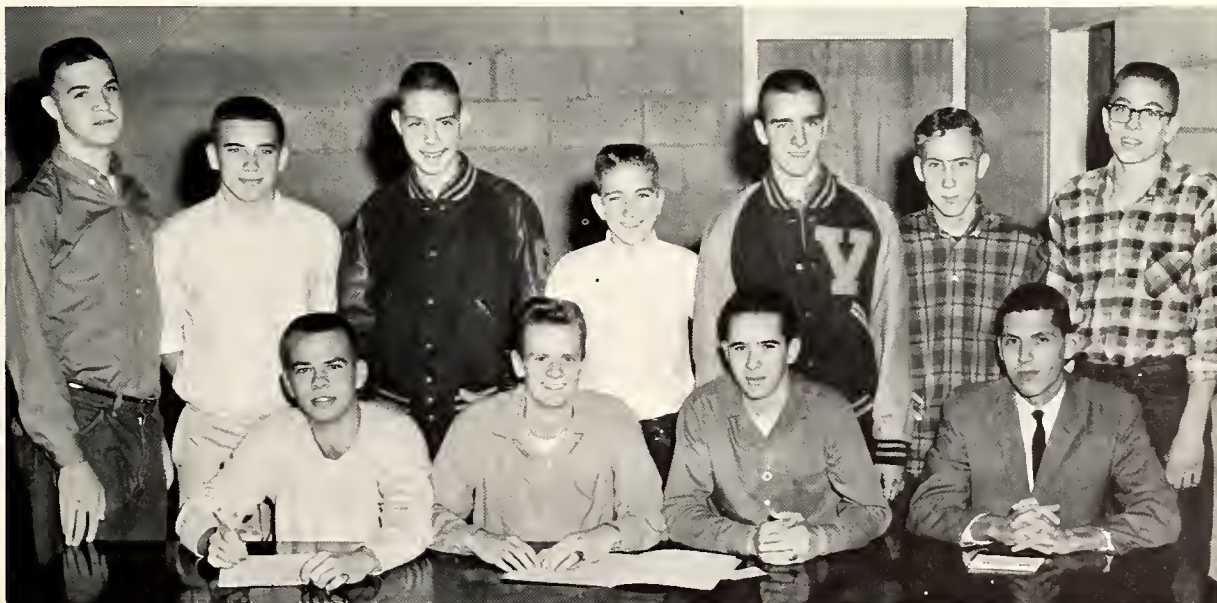
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LETTERMEN'S CLUB

SEATED, left to right: George Wrather (Vice-President), Terry Moore (President), Bobby Walker (Secretary-Treasurer), Mr. Lewis (Sponsor); STANDING: Bob Hildebrandt, Tom Luck, David Brown, Larry Hedrick, Ronnie Craft, Jim Ritzert, Francis Dunsford.



JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

FRONT ROW, left to right: J. Northcutt, K. Rowden, D. Bright, G. Knight, K. Niere, D. Walker, L. Northcutt, C. Hilderbrand; 2nd ROW: R. Hildebrandt, G. Brockmann, D. Rowden, J. Redman, S. Williams, G. Summers, B. Smith, Coach Harris.

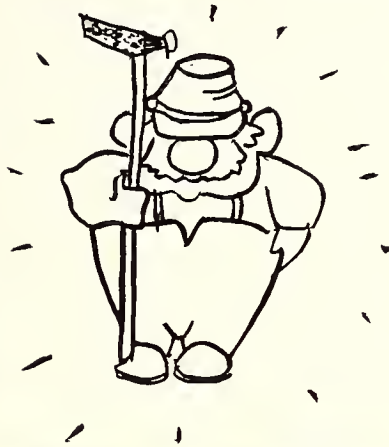


JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS

Left to right: Iris Leuthauser, Ruthie Lohman, Sharon Davis.



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RINGS**



AFTER . . .







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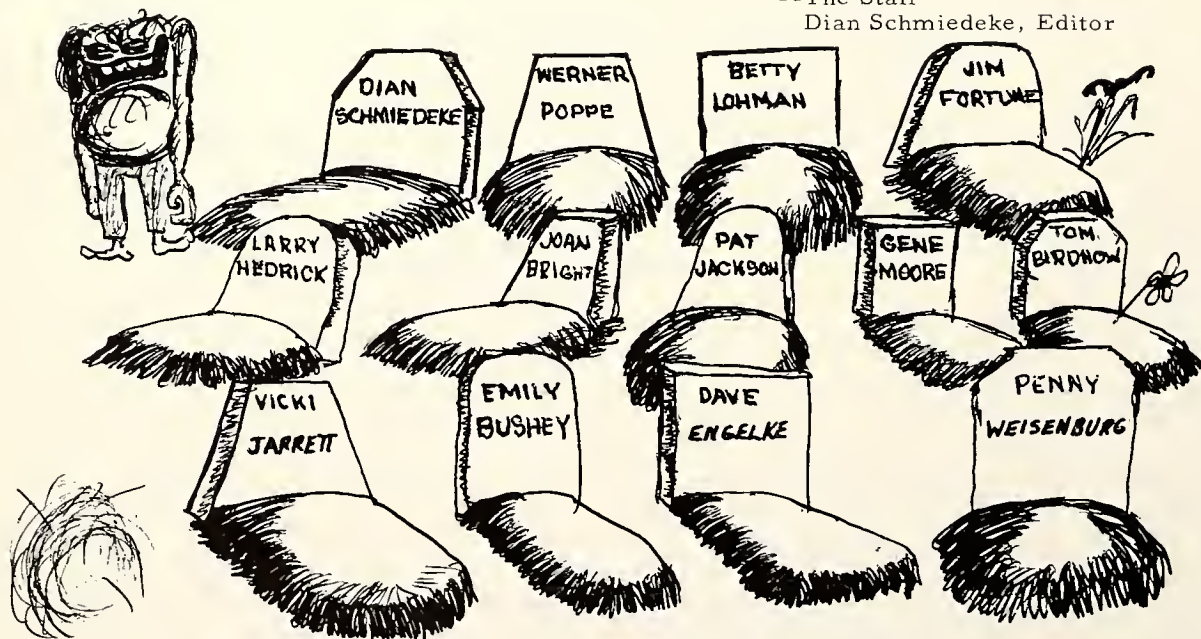
LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Val-E-Vues staff, being no longer of sound mind or body, due to the hardships of the War against Headlines, do hereby scrawl this Last Will and Testament in one last effort to see our names in print.

First: We hereby leave all double exposures and rejected photographs to next year's lucky staff.

Second: To the Student Body we leave a picture of what happens to you after a year of working on the Val-E-Vues!

--The Staff
Dian Schmiedeke, Editor





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